

PATENT 2342-0107P

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Sir:

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INDEPENDENT	4	-	4	=	0	\$84	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$280	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

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	Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). $$930.00$ for the extension of time.
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$\boxtimes$	Check(s) in the amount of \$930.00 is(are) enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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